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TAGS: PFOR, DA, EEC

SUBJ: U.S.-EC DECLARATION

REF: COPENHAGEN 2449

1. DANISH MFA OFFICIAL (DYVIG), WHO IS CURRENT CHAIR-
MAN OF EC COMMITTEE OF COORRESPONDENTS, TELLS US THAT

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HIS COMMITTEE IS NOT PLANNING SEPARATE MEETING TO

REVIEW U.S. SUGGESTIONS FOR CHANGES IN EC DRAFT OUTLINE. EC POLITICAL DIRECTORS WILL BE ADDRESSING THAT SUBJECT DURING THEIR MEETING IN COPENHAGEN, OCTOBER 11-12. CORRESPONDENTS WILL BE PRESENT AT THAT MEETING, HOWEVER, AND MAY BE CALLED UPON TO PERFORM DRAFTING CHORES.

2. COMMITTEE OF CORRESPONDENTS WILL BE MEETING HERE OCTOBER 10, ACCORDING TO SAME SOURCE, BUT THEY ARE EXPECTED TO CONFINE THEIR ACTIVITIES TO WORK ON DECLARATION ON EUROPEAN IDENTITY.

3. ALTHOUGH FOREIGN MINISTER ANDERSEN HAD EVIDENTLY NOT BEEN BRIEFED ON BINDER ARTICLE WHEN AMBASSADOR CALLED ON HIM OCTOBER 2 (COPENHAGEN 2449), PERMANENT UNDER SECRETARY RONNE HAD READ IT CAREFULLY BY TIME AMBASSADOR MET HIM ON OCTOBER 4. RONNE SAID THAT BINDER TREATMENT DID NOT AT ALL ACCORD WITH HIS UNDERSTANDING OF FEELING WITHIN EC FOREIGN MINISTRIES ABOUT COURSE OF DISCUSSION LAST WEEK IN NEW YORK. IN HIS OPINION, EUROPEANS WERE HOPEFUL THAT MUTUALLY SATISFACTORY TEXT COULD BE WORKED OUT AND WERE LOOKING FORWARD TO FURTHER CONSULTATIONS WITH AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVES IN COPENHAGEN ON OCTOBER 18.
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